

TWELVE PAGES—THE LARGEST COUNTRY WEEKLY PUBLISHED.

MOTHER KILLED, BABY CROSSED TO SAFETY

Woman Walked Upon Railroad
Track and Was Struck by Engine
—She Was Carrying Child When
Hit, But It Escaped Hurt—Accident
Near Bustleton.

With her 18-month-old baby in her arms, Mrs. Polia Prifolia, 30 years old, who lives on the Bensalem pike, near Red Lion road, just outside Bustleton, was struck and killed by a freight train on the Philadelphia & Reading tracks, not far from her home, on Thursday, while the baby escaped without a scratch.

Mrs. Prifolia's husband is employed as a truckman by the railroad, and when his wife was killed he was working not more than 200 yards away. Mrs. Prifolia was walking west along the tracks to visit some friends in Bustleton and the baby seated in her arms. Evidently she did not hear the approach of the freight train until it was almost upon her. Then she became confused and hugged the child to her breast. The train struck her and hurled her some distance from the track. She landed on her head, breaking her neck.

The first man to reach Mrs. Prifolia's side found the baby clasped in her arms. A large crowd gathered and when the husband ran over to see what the accident was he collapsed when he discovered that it was his wife. A physician, who happened to be nearby, said that the woman had been instantly killed.

The patrol from the Tacony police station several miles away, was sent for, and, following the arrival of the coroner, Mrs. Prifolia's body was taken to an undertaker's establishment in Bustleton. The husband went home, and a neighbor went with him to look after the baby.

WILLOW GROVE

ALL-DAY SHOOT.

The all-day shoot at the Mineral Springs gun club grounds on New Year's day for the year 1912 was largely attended. 37 marksmen entered into the big live bird shoot and it was impossible to finish the shoot on that day. At the end of the day's shooting, 9 men were tied in the misadventure method. The shoot was postponed until Thursday, when Harding of Lahaska, and Henry, of Lansdale, again were tied at nine birds each. They agreed to dispose of the prize in halves. George Leaman received the pot of \$17.50 for giving the correct weight of the hog, which was 566 pounds. During Monday's shoot a gunner beyond the bounds of the running grounds, was shooting at some stray birds in the direction of the crowd assembled, and struck several persons in the face, among whom were David Nolan and his little girl, Earl Koons, Ollie Houpt and others. They were taken to Dr. Watson's, where the shot was extracted.

Schools throughout the township reopened on Tuesday last.

William Richards, of Montana, is the guest of his brother, Joseph.

Miss Dorothy Taylor, of Crestmont, entertained guests on Friday evening last.

A new wagon shed is being built to the barn on the Harry place, on the Doylestown pike.

Murphy & Sanderson, contractors, are putting up a barn for Joseph Hecker, at Crestmont.

Henry Specht had a large porker butchered on Wednesday that weighed 400 pounds dressed.

The young folks of the village have been enjoying the skating on Knappton's pond during the past week.

Kentner's blacksmith shop has been a very busy place during the past week. Upwards of 40 horses per day have been shod.

The W. C. T. U. held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. S. G. Moore, on Moreland road, on Tuesday afternoon last.

Kentner & McEvoy have sold the fine farm of Augustus Zeigler, of 126 acres, in Tinticon township, Bucks county, to Artemus Stewart, of Abington, on private terms.

The Abington horse company held its annual meeting at Ehrenfort's hotel, on Thursday afternoon. After the business was transacted, an elegant banquet was served to the members by Host Ehrenfort. This is one of the oldest horse companies in this vicinity.

Richboro W. C. T. U. has donated a sum of money to advance the cause of scientific instruction.

While rolling a heavy timber, Franklin Garner, of Doylestown, fractured a leg.

CHICKEN THEVES FIGHT POLICEMEN

Officers Search House and Find Dead Fowls—Mystery of Disappearance of Ambler Chickens Solved—Many Robberies Had Been Committed—Suspects Sent to Jail.

The climax to a long continued series of chicken stealing robberies in and about Ambler, came on Tuesday, when Policemen Ford and three deputies raided a house in which were four suspects. A pitched battle resulted in which Ford was badly beaten, but he managed to hold on to the most wanted fowls. In the melee the captain's wife pointed a revolver at Ford but a deputy seized her arm. The man and his wife were taken to the Norristown prison Wednesday to await trial at the March term of court.

For several weeks many complaints of chicken stealing were filed with the Ambler authorities. Hundreds of fowls were stolen. An investigation conducted by Chief Ford turned suspicion strongly towards Peter Crist, a Romanian, living in West Ambler. When the chief was convinced that he had sufficient evidence he swore in as deputies, J. K. R. Hansel, William Walker and Isaac Ambler, and the four men went to the Crist home. Hansel was placed on guard at the rear door, Walker at the front door and the other two men went inside. Crist, his wife and four other men were in the house.

In the cellar Ford found scores of dead chickens; an additional number was plucked of feathers and ready for sale.

Some of the losers in the depredations of the gang of thieves, were Charles Colles, the Mercer House, Eliza Beth Nichols, William Walker, and Isaac Ambler.

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Wagon and Ashbourne

TAX RATE NINE MILLS.

At the meeting of the township commissioners on Tuesday afternoon the tax rate for the year was fixed at nine mills for township purposes. It was also decided to purchase an automobile to be used for a police patrol and ambulance. It was shown that when a hurried call came from Long Hill or Lawrence the extreme ends of the township, it required too long a time to get to the scene of the arrest or accident.

POLICE NEWS.

Wallace Stewart, Fracker street, Milford, was arrested on Saturday by Officer Penmore, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was fined \$5 and costs.

Joseph Berger, of Cheltenham, was arrested on Saturday night for disorderly conduct and was fined \$5 and costs.

Edwin Linson was confined to his home several days this week by illness.

The musical given at the High school auditorium on Wednesday afternoon was most enjoyed.

Mrs. Robert Newlin Fell, of Elkins Park, has issued invitations for a luncheon and card party for January 16th.

William Snyder is building a patent anti-kick device for truck automobile wheels at the Myers & Ervin mills, on Church road.

Mrs. Herbert K. Taylor, of Cedar road, will take part in the Historic Pageant of Famous Women at the Bellevue-Stratford on Wednesday next.

At the meeting of the township school board on Tuesday afternoon, Miss Hull was elected as an assistant teacher in the Cheltenham High school.

Treasurer Murphy will send out warrants next week to delinquent taxpayers. Those who have warrants served them have had additional costs of \$2 or more also to pay. All those who have not paid their tax had better so and avoid this additional expense.

J. Call, a driver in the employ of Jones and Donald Company, of Philadelphia, met with an accident on Friday evening of last week, when the harness broke and allowed the wagon to run up on the horse, starting him to kick, striking Call in the head and it was necessary to take him to the Jewish hospital.

Superintendent William G. Cleaver, of the Cheltenham High School, read a paper entitled, "Normal Instruction in Civics," on Tuesday afternoon and Professor C. E. Karlin, of the Manual Training Department, gave a talk on Wednesday morning at the State Educational Association meeting held in William Penn High school, Philadelphia.

R. E. Mason, agent for Mary Kelum, held a sale of personal property on the premises, on the Terwood road, near Morgan's mill, on Thursday next.

STATE MAKES OFFER TO FIX YORK ROAD

Highway Commissioner Bigelow Says
His Department Will Place Road
in Good Order if Toll Companies
Give it up—Part of it is an Abandoned Turnpike.

If the owners of the toll-pike portions of the Old York road between Philadelphia and New Hope, where the road crosses the Delaware river into New Jersey, will turn their holdings over to the State without cost to the State, the road will be repaired and put in first-class condition by the State Highway Department.

Assurance to this effect was given on Wednesday by Highway Commissioner Bigelow to a delegation of Bucks county citizens, headed by Senator Clarence J. Buckman, who called upon him to ask that the road to New Hope be repaired. The committee assured Mr. Bigelow that they would take the lead and exert all the influence possible to induce the toll companies to turn their stock over to the State.

The portion of the highway included covers over thirty miles from the Philadelphia City Line through Jenkintown and Hatboro, Harrisville and Lahaska. The highway is a toll road from City Line to a point two miles above Hatboro. This portion is owned by the Cheltenham and Willow Grove Turnpike Company as far as Willow Grove, and from there to Street road by the Hatboro and Warminster Turnpike Company. Both of these companies are controlled by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company.

In the latter company a large minority interest is in the hands of individual stockholders. It is not believed that these would give up their stock for nothing even if the Rapid Transit Company was willing to part with its majority holdings as a gift to the State. Part of the road controlled by the Rapid Transit Company is under the care of Superintendent J. W. Ridgpath, with offices at Jenkintown, and is kept in fine condition.

From Street road to Centerville, a stretch of about ten miles, the pike is in poor condition and no toll is collected. This is the abandoned roadway of the Hartsville and Centerville Turnpike Company, which surrendered its charter and ceased to exist several years ago. No repairs of a permanent character have been made upon it, consequently its condition is the source of great complaint. The State Highway Department has made four or five surveys of this part of the road and once got so far as to advertise for bids, but no contract was awarded.

The last few miles from Centerville to New Hope is in fair shape and is a toll section. The road many years ago was one of the direct highways to New York.

A point made by Mr. Bigelow was that in several different sections of the State offers had been made to present to the State Highway Department, free of expense, turnpikes with the hope that the State department would take up the work of improving them at once. Mr. Bigelow assured the delegation that if this arrangement could be made along the York road that in his opinion work would be started this coming spring and that the York road would be made a beautiful State highway from Philadelphia to its border line, where it crosses into Delaware, at New Hope.

Mr. Bigelow was familiar with the road, having passed over it, and admitted that parts of it were in bad condition, he had ridden over many roads that were worse.

A point made by Senator Buckman was that Bucks county was thoroughly in accord with the improvement of the York road as it would not only aid the section through which it runs, but would aid the townships near the river which maintain roads which are in use by the through traffic of automobiles from New York to Philadelphia.

He pointed out that by the improving of the York road that considerable of this traffic would be diverted to the York road and that the townships from Lambertville to New York would be in good shape, and that the tourists would find the new route as good or better for travel than from the two great cities.

The turnpike company that owns the York road from Centerville to Hatboro, pays a dividend of about two per cent.

Mr. Bigelow's idea was to have the turnpike from Centerville to New Hope freed and turned over to the State.

The committee who called on State Highway Commissioner included Senator Clarence J. Buckman, of Lahaska; Col. Harry Paxson, Edward Paxson and David Pfeil, of Solebury; Robert Engert, of Warminster; G. W. Rubinkman and E. P. Carrell, of Jamison; Dr. J. B. Caspell, Dr. Charles M. Shillert and Warren M. Cornell, of Hatboro.

FARMER'S CATTLE STOLEN AND KILLED

Thieves Enter Barn of Watson Michener, of Solebury—Steal Four Heifers, Which They Kill Nearby—Officers Trace Robbers for Miles and Recover Carcasses of Cattle—One Arrest Made—Many Outrages Committed.

Following a long series of strange crimes and particularly brutal outrages that have caused a reign of terror in Solebury township, Bucks county, Edward Loux, of New Hope, aged about 19 years, was committed to Doylestown jail on Wednesday afternoon to await trial for the latest outrage, the killing of four calves of Watson Michener, between Centre Bridge and Centre Hill, and taking therefrom four yearling heifers, killing them and then carrying away the carcasses. The crime was committed on Sunday night, December 31, supposed to be the last of the year. The calves were driven out of the Michener barn into the road, where their throats were cut and they were disemboweled. Without skinning the carcasses they were loaded upon a wagon and hauled away. The heifers were registered Jersey stock and particularly fine animals.

The crime was discovered early on New Year's morning and when it became generally known caused great excitement throughout the neighborhood. The constables of Newhope and Solebury were notified and the officers soon got on the track of the thieves, who proceeded down the river road, with the probable intention of disposing of the dead heifers in the Trenton market. In some manner the thieves learned that they were closely pressed by the officers. In order to escape they fled towards the crossing towards near Washington's Crossing and then fled into New Jersey. It is believed that two of the party went to New York City.

Constable Bennett, of Newhope, whose investigation of the case led him to believe that the three men had returned to Newhope, arrested young Loux on Wednesday morning on a warrant sworn out before Justice Watson F. Paxson, of Carversville. The bold theft of the four heifers was the culmination of a series of remarkably bold robberies, which began over a year ago with the entrance of three thugs into the home of Jacob Kooker, near Aqueton, early in the evening. Mr. Kooker was knocked through a cellar door and painfully injured, and while one of the men covered him with a revolver the other two men had returned to Newhope, where they were arrested.

Later a fine wagon was taken from a wagonhouse in Solebury township by the thieves and was driven to the barn, where it was hidden. The thieves then returned to the barn and body with a hatchet. Two robberies have occurred within a recent period in the vicinity of Centre Bridge. An aged woman was held up in her home in the village and robbed. A tenant house near Centre Bridge, in which Miss Glendora Nathans, of Philadelphia, had stored her goods for the winter, was entered a few days ago and robbed of many household goods, which the thieves carried away in a wagon.

The home of an old couple near Brownburg was entered some time ago by masked men who overpowered the inmates of the house with revolvers and then robbed them of about \$45. The burglars threatened to murder the victims if they did not hand over the money. The thieves then returned to the house over their dead bodies if they ever mentioned the robbery, and for the reason it was not reported to the police.

The people of Solebury and Upper Merioneth townships seem to have been terrorized by the desperadoes and they have hesitated to move against them for fear of recurring outrages. Full details of the crimes have never been told. It is believed that some of the victims would recognize the criminals at once if brought before them. How much young Loux Case, aged 16, with a heavy and a shaggy was added to the other.

Rice was given a hearing Wednesday morning before Justice C. J. Nightingale and held under \$500 bail on the forger charge and \$100 on the liquor charge.

ROBBERS STEAL FINE SILVERWARE

Get Away with \$2000 Worth at the Appleton Home at Laverock—Forced Window—Left no Clue.

It has just become known that thieves raided the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Appleton Pearson at Laverock, near Edge Hill, and stole silverware valued at about \$2,000.

Other silverware, worth about \$1,000 more, was laid out on the window seat of the dining room, ready to be packed in bags, but it is believed that the robbers were frightened away by the barking of a dog.

The silver taken was nearly all old and much treasured by Mrs. Pearson because of its associations, many pieces being heirlooms long in her family.

The thieves forced entrance by cutting a glass from a window. Once inside they apparently went straight into the dining room and quickly collected all the silver from the sideboard and pantry.

They escaped without leaving a clue. The robbery was discovered in the morning when the servants arose.

JENKINTOWN

HORSE COMPANY CENTENNIAL

Union Society, Formed in 1812, Celebrates Anniversary.

The spirit of modern progressiveness vied with the memories of the customs of long ago, when 40 well-known men met Thursday to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Union Society for a Recovery of Stolen Horses and the Detection of Horse Thieves. The society, formed in 1812, is the oldest of its type in the country, and at Thursday's event the presidents of nine similar companies were the invited guests. A banquet followed the business meeting in Masonic hall.

These officials were elected: President, George T. Rice; Vice President, Thomas Noble; Board of Directors—Joseph Kulp, Frank Engle, Charles E. Kinney, and S. Roberts; George T. Rice, William F. Moran, James Krawson, Carroll Harper, Henry Hallows, John Hallows, Howard Mather, John C. Roberts.

The presidents of other societies invited were: A. C. Colton, of Germantown; George Schriver, of Fort Washington; Company; Davis Thurb, of the Germantown family, at Holyoke; John Bidde, of the Bustleton Company; John M. Darrah, of the Hartsville Company; J. Milton Brooke, of the Hartsville Company; Samuel Yerkes, of the Huntingdon Valley Company; Richard Holman, of the Frankford Company; and William Penrose, of the Warren Company.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the bank will be held on Tuesday next.

The annual meeting of the Union Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Jenkintown, will be held on Monday next, at the public house of J. S. Belis.

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FELL ON ICE, LEG BROKEN.

Cheltenham Man in Bad Plight When Found.

Falling and breaking his leg as he was crossing a lot near Second street and Chestnut street, Fox Chase, late Sunday afternoon, Charles Heiser, 30 years old, of Cheltenham, lay on the ground for four hours before he was discovered by a mounted policeman of the Tacony station house. Heiser slipped on the icy covering of a plank and his ankle broke as he plunged to the ground. He endeavored to rise and make his way to the pike, but the intense pain held him a prisoner to the spot. He gradually weakened and when discovered by the policeman was numbed from his long exposure in the snow and sleet. He was taken to the Frankford hospital, where his condition is regarded as critical.

WYCOMBE MAN JAILED.

Arrested for Forgery and Furnishing Minors Whisky.

James W. Rice, a young man of Wycombe, was arrested in Doylestown last Tuesday night for forging a check for \$50 on the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co. of New York. He was taken to the jail, where he was held, receiving the remainder in money.

Immediately upon getting the remaining \$25 Rice started to celebrate. He is thought to have furnished Howard F. Smith, aged 16, and Worman Case, aged 16, with whisky, and this charge was added to the other.

Rice was given a hearing Wednesday morning before Justice C. J. Nightingale and held under \$500 bail on the forger charge and \$100 on the liquor charge.

BURGLARS ACTIVE NEAR JENKINTOWN

Four Houses Robbed Within a Week—Thieves Ransacked Residences in Absence of Owners—Police Frustrate One Robbery.

Thieves sometime between Saturday night and Tuesday morning, entered the house on the York road at the corner of Wycombe road, just below Jenkintown, the home of E. I. Bacon, business manager of the Philadelphia Inquirer.

They ransacked the house thoroughly, every bureau drawer was emptied of its contents, closets were opened and clothing scattered about the rooms. Even bed clothing taken from the beds and mattresses were searched for money.

About \$600 worth of jewelry and bric-a-brac was taken. The thieves overlooked a pair of handsome bracelets set with gems, a Christmas present to Mrs. Bacon from her husband.

Nothing was known of the robbery until the Basons returned from a house party at the seashore where they had gone on Saturday to spend the New Year holidays. On their return the Abington police were notified and are working on the case. Two suspects were arrested on Thursday night.

Early Tuesday morning Policeman Caul saw a man trying to enter the country home of Joseph Steele, at Washington lane and Cheltenham avenue, Ogontz. Keeping in the shelter of trees, Caul approached the house, and saw a man about to crawl through a window. A pane had been cut from the window and through the aperture, the robber had reached the fastening of the sash and had raised it. As Caul drew near, the robber fled and escaped in the darkness.

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Monday it was learned that a burglary had been committed at the home of Edward McKendall, on Greenwood avenue, Jenkintown. Alvin Tillman, a maid, discovered the burglary after she returned from the city. Every room was thoroughly searched and evidence of a thorough search. A telegram was sent by Chief Jensen, of the Jenkintown department, to the McKendall family, at Holyoke, Mass., advising them of the robbery, and until their return there is no means of learning whether the stolen property was recovered.

The country home of Herbert J. Kendall, at 610 Washington lane, just across the line from Jenkintown, in Abington township, was ransacked. As the family is in Texas, it is not known what was stolen.

Isaac Krout, of Doylestown, was painfully sprained in handling a large barrel at the Clear Spring Hotel.

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REAL ESTATE

BOOM FOR OXFORD CHURCH.

Record has been made of the transfer by George T. Sale to Joseph H. Brinton of a tract of 4 1/2 acres at Cottman and Dunbar streets in the Forty-first ward. The consideration was \$22,260. The tract adjoins Trinity church, Oxford, an old settlement in that territory, and also has a frontage on the Connecting Railway, a Pennsylvania branch railroad. The land will be developed by the cutting through of streets preparatory to an extensive dwelling development.

CLUB HOUSE ADDITION OPENED.

On New Year's day the Huntingdon Valley Country Club, celebrated the opening of a new wing to its club house. It includes a large ballroom and locker rooms, also a grill. The rest of the club building has also been renovated and many attractions added. The cost of the alterations to the club is more than \$35,000, while at the expense of an additional \$100,000 the club has purchased the surrounding land on which the club house is built. It had been leased before.

At 1 o'clock luncheon was served at the club to the members, the president, John W. Pepper, presiding. After the luncheon some twenty-five of the club's best shots adjourned to the rifle range to compete for the second accumulative cup.

Ernest E. Prevost has sold to William P. Dedeker two tracts of ground aggregating nineteen acres on the Bustleton and Somerton turnpike, for a consideration of \$5,100.

Heron & Doyle, architects, are designing a one-story and basement church, 48 by 125 feet, on Rhawn street, near E. St. Cecilia's Catholic congregation of Fox Chase.

The large three-story stone mansion house, on the west side of Twelfth street north of Valley road, Oak Lane, lot 105 by 255 feet, has been sold to Charles R. Wentz to Dorothea Best, through John H. Shields, real estate broker. The consideration is given as \$32,000.

Thomas Atkinson, real estate agent of Ambler, reports the sale of a property of 5 1/2 acres near the William Penn Inn Gymnasium of Johnathan Lakewood to Lewis Wood of Gwynedd. Mr. Wood will improve the property and make same his permanent home. Possession February 1, 1912.

H. J. Dager, Inc., real estate agent, Ambler, reports the following: Sold for Alfred Parsons, Pennly, his modern home, which he built some two years ago, situated on the new road from Pennly pike to Gwynedd Valley, together with 24 acres of ground, to Thomas P. Stokes, of Philadelphia, who will take possession of the same about February 1st and will occupy the property as his permanent home. H. J. Dager, Inc., will also hold public sale of the personal property of William DeFrestante, Jarrettown, on Tuesday next. See detailed advertisement in other columns of this week's issue.

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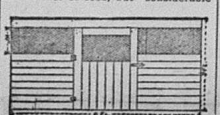
I like colony houses because they can be moved easily from place to place and thus insure clean surroundings for the chicks. They also enable one to take the broods from an undesirable place such as the dooryard or



Side Elevation.

the garden and keep them in a field where there is plenty of insect food for the chicks. The colony house, as the reaper, writes W. J. Judson in the Orange Judd Farmer. In such surroundings the chicks can save considerable outlay for food by converting into cash what would otherwise go to waste. Young chickens can be removed from the house or the brooders when about six weeks old. If taken from hens, they should be dusted thoroughly for lice at that time and if not already marked should be marked with a poultry pencil. At first they should be confined to a temporary yard by wire netting not less than two feet high. A convenient size for this yard is one rod each way. Of course, the larger the enclosure, the more grass there will be for the chicks. It is best to keep them here for three or four days, or a week, depending upon their age and the distance they are removed from their former location. When they become accustomed to the place, the fence may be removed by using hoppers which contain one-half to one bushel of feed, but considerable

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MCCARTHY, superintendent of the Golconda, big, bluff, and burly, was unhappy. He stood at the station waiting for the president's train that was to bring with it the special car containing the wife and daughter of the president. McCarthy disliked the waste of time and the role of entertainer for women.

"Most of the women I have known have been a nuisance," he said audibly in his growing annoyance. "Me, too, Mack," piped up a small voice beside him. McCarthy turned and swore. His oath was answered with such an emphatic string of profanity that it almost drowned the whistle of the incoming train.

The superintendent looked reproachfully at his companion, Sanders, the stage-driver. The latter, newly arrived, stood in the platform. Down the steps surged prospectors, miners, commercial travelers, and women, bustling each other's legs with hales, bundles, and bags, and all in a hurry. But it was not Sanders' day. There was none who knew him—and those who were attracted by his shrill voice crying "Stage-line to Hicoria," paid small heed to his appeal, and trafficked with his rival. He dodged to and fro to avoid being trampled upon, and tried to gain a fare from the other side of the hill. The rival looked the part, thought Sanders enviously, as he gazed with animosity at the six feet of brown ram mounted by a slouch hat, and listened to the voice which came with a hoarse bellow.

Sanders turned disconsolately toward his own stage, and in emulation of his elders of the wilder mining camp up in the hills from which he came, again swore with proficiency. "Miffo, you, Sanders," called McCarthy's voice from the diminishing crowd, "there are some passengers for you."

The wise-looking little, old face brightened up hopefully, and he came forward unabashed, but colored with self-consciousness before the outburst of merriment of the moon beautiful lady he had ever seen. He recalled instantly a story his father used to tell him before he went to rest back up there in the hills, and from then on she became to him the "Dream Lady."

But it wouldn't do to blush, he thought furiously. He must play the part, because, after all, he was a real stage-driver. He bowed his feet wide apart, assumed a hoarse voice, and in answer to her question, "Are you a stage-driver?" he vociferated, "You bet your damn life I am!"

The Dream Lady laughed with such abandonment that the superintendent's sharp reproof was unheeded. McCarthy led the way to the stage, assisted the president's wife and daughter to a seat, and then deposited his own huge bulk beside the driver's cushion.

Sanders crawled up to his place, using the spokes of the wheel as a ladder, clutched the reins in his small hands, tripped the brake with some effort, and started his horse with a yell. He reasoned over the intricacies of the situation, and decided that he had been jested with, humiliated, set upon, and ridiculed. It hurt because the Dream Lady was so beautiful and had such shining eyes.

It was too much, and as a big lump came suddenly into his throat, Sanders almost swallowed the ample chew of tobacco that distorted the contour of his face. Hitherto he had felt the pride of his position. Why shouldn't he joy in his independence? He had always made his own way and had been no mark for honor. Why, even when he was a boy, he had made the stage business after Old Patch, owing to too many stops at the roadside, had simultaneously lost his hold on the reins of his horse, and was left by falling from his seat, the miners had not treated him as a joke. With great gravity they had subscribed for the purchase of the outfit, and had called him "Mister Sanders." True, some of them had winked and grown red in the face when they put their names and their money down, but they had not laughed at him broadly as the Dream Lady did.

Sanders recalled that entry into stagemod with a warmth in his heart for McCarthy, who was so outgoing with all men and whom so many feared. The big man, he remembered, had read the lines without change of expression and had even taken the pains to test his ability, or, as the boy said, "ried him out." Sanders would remember that trial. The superintendent had called an ore-wagon with "Here, Jim; take this boy up there by you, let him take the ribbons and drive to the bottom of the hill. Watch

him closely and tell me if you think he can handle 'em."

Jim had grinned as he handed the boy the reins, and Sanders smiled exultantly as he remembered how he had gritted his teeth, throwing the big horse back into line with a jerk, and, because of his own shortness of leg, had ordered Jim to set the brakes. Oh, no—he hadn't passed all his thirteen years around mining-camps and ore-trains and horses for nothing.

That was a triumph worth while when the big superintendent gravely recognized his drivership and subscribed money that he could. McCarthy had said that much more wasn't a kid; he was a man, and shall have a man's chance.

That wasn't all that McCarthy had done. He had stopped the miners from laughing at him openly, and had always thrown all the patronage to the platform. Down the steps surged prospectors, miners, commercial travelers, and women, bustling each other's legs with hales, bundles, and bags, and all in a hurry. But it was not Sanders' day. There was none who knew him—and those who were attracted by his shrill voice crying "Stage-line to Hicoria," paid small heed to his appeal, and trafficked with his rival. He dodged to and fro to avoid being trampled upon, and tried to gain a fare from the other side of the hill. The rival looked the part, thought Sanders enviously, as he gazed with animosity at the six feet of brown ram mounted by a slouch hat, and listened to the voice which came with a hoarse bellow.

The superintendent's mind went rambling away to the stage he had secured from the miners, where the heroine was always a beautiful young lady who always fell in love with the miner, who, if not a stage-driver, was a brave young detective. They always married, and as far as he could recollect, lived happily ever after. Sanders wasn't quite sure that he wanted to marry the Dream Lady and live happily ever after, but he was quite positive that he would like her. He had the chance he would love her—would love her very much indeed.

Why didn't Mack McCarthy, who was so big and so strong, and who had such dark eyes and whose black hair was fringed with gray, marry the young lady? He would ask him. He did.

McCarthy's pipe almost dropped from his mouth in astonishment, and his only reply was "Huh!" Then he smoked again, and somehow Sanders felt rebuffed.

It really seemed like a very short drive that day, and when the stage rolled up to the front of the superintendent's office, which had been prepared as a temporary home for the visitors, Sanders was quite surprised at the speed they had made.

The Dream Lady smiled as she alighted, and showed her appreciation by smiling at him and saying: "Why, you are a real stage-driver, after all, aren't you?" Sanders felt his heart swell with gratified pride, but to play the part well felt compelled to gaze at her nonchalantly, take a fresh chew of tobacco, and make no reply.

The days changed for Sanders. There was no longer a weariness in the drag uphill from the American to the Golconda. This was because of the Dream Lady. Really, if he could only talk to her when he went there and saw her, it would be different; but speech left him with abruptness in her presence, and he felt that all he could do to preserve his dignity was to refrain from grinning broadly, even though he could not answer her questions. His warmth toward the big man increased, because he alone understood. He was a real friend.

There was something odd about it all, the dark and the moon, the more pains than he used to, because he shaved every day, and had a new hat that he wore when not going through the mine. The lady was too, she had signs of the summer's progression. She looked at the superintendent differently, and there was something in the look of her eyes that he knew that she saw in this white-bellied, silent man a master of men and things. Ah! he could love her for that. The Dream Lady wouldn't seem to be as happy as she had been, and there was trouble between her and her mother. The boy wondered at that, and spent his time in vain speculations. True, he had heard but little, but it was a certainty that the Dream Lady and her mother were not on good terms. So he hated the mother. Worst of all, McCarthy somehow seemed to feel the change, and Sanders' head ached for him with a dull, sympathetic hurt which required constant repression. Of course he couldn't talk to the man—that would never be understood; besides, there wasn't the same camaraderie that there had been, because the man was quieter, if possible, than he used to be, and he spent more time working underground, as if avoiding some-

thing. The boy felt aggrieved. The Dream Lady was very fine, but there was no time to go to be friends with McCarthy, and she must have said something to have changed him so.

Another sore spot was that "Big Stiff" of a yard-boy up at the Golconda, whom Sanders hated because he had winked one day when the superintendent said the Dream Lady was talking together in front of the big shaft-house. Sanders waited his chance, all his turbid blood aflame with a desire for retaliation, not for an offense against his own person, but against his hero.

There came a day, as the summer waned, when his chance was upon him, and being one of action he seized it. There was none in sight, as the stage came to a halt near the blacksmith shop, save the "Big Stiff." Sanders crawled, deliberately down from his perch, took off his much-patched coat, laid his hat on top of it, and before the "Big Stiff" was aware of forthcoming trouble, leaped into him wildly with both fists. This was his day, he thought jubilantly, so he fought grimly, using teeth, feet, and hands with equal effect, and hearing not his adversary's shrieks and lamentations.

Oh! it ended ignominiously for Sanders. Before he was really at the scene of his work, McCarthy came from behind, seized both belligerents by the slack of their clothing, tore them apart, and held them in the air exactly as he would a pair of puppies. Sanders continued with set teeth and blazing eyes to kick and strike wildly, although held high in the air. The

small river now and the grouse in the hills changed plumage. The big pegs put on winter coats of whiteness and the mornings were cold. Another summer was dead.

So, with the flight of warmth, the stage-driver came to the mine one morning and found the Dream Lady and her mother waiting for the down stage.

McCarthy was trying to look unconcerned, but his eyes were very, deep and lonely. The Dream Lady had a veil over her face, and no longer laughed as gaily as when she came to the hills for the summer. Only her mother talked and looked and smiled sharply and unceasingly as Sanders took them aboard.

The superintendent stood awkwardly by the wheel. "Some day we shall meet again," Sanders heard him say. The Dream Lady turned away without a word and looked toward the mountain-tops as though bidding them farewell.

The man did something very unusual that day, something unprecedented. He walked all the way around the town, tightening up a strap or testing a buckle here and there. Then, when the others were busy adjusting their belongings in the narrow space, he said: "Sanders, my boy, drive very carefully down the Turn Again grade. It's a bad place. Be a game little cuss, and hold the reins tight. Always remember to be careful there." Sanders wondered at the admonition as the horses swung out and down the hill.

The Dream Lady's mother became a dragon in the stage-driver's air-castle.

his seat. The team wildly plunged forward.

Sanders couldn't remember all that happened when he thought of it, only afterward, because it took so long. There came to him vaguely the screams of the Dream Lady's mother, regret that if he had to have a runaway it should come on this, of all days, and all the time there was the battle with the horses. The wayside was no longer familiar. It was a mere panorama of looming gray rocks that rose up suddenly and swept past in a blur. The road was a living, twisting thing, that tried all the time to evade him; and before him, with outstretched heads and shewy bodies straining for ever greater reaches, were no longer inanimate animals, bent on destruction.

Down the deadly hill, lurching, swaying from side to side, or violently jumping over boulders, they went, but Sanders sat firm, with his browed hands twisted desperately into the lines. In his ears rang again and again the words: "Be a game little cuss, and hold the reins tight."

At the top of his shrill voice he called to the horses, trying vainly to check them—called them by name, cursed, appealed, or commanded, and all with no effect. Through him there came the realization that there was but one chance to save the Dream Lady, and that was to keep his way in the road, at least until the frightful grade of "Turn Again" stretched smoothly over the shallows of the lowland, away from the river and from the high bank. And in this time of stress his unselfish little heart heaved not

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Sanders thought something smelled bad—just as he thought of it, when father was taken there. He tried to raise his arm, but there was some big wooden thing on it, and it hurt. He rested awhile, trying to remember what had happened.

Then he decided to open his eyes, but he was blind, because there was a cloth wrapped around his head. Finally he looked up, and the other one with much wonder, and discovered, to his amazement, that he was in the superintendent's office; he only didn't look natural—there were so many bottles and things around on tables. Well, it wasn't worth while thinking and puzzling about it, so he would take another short sleep. The Dream Lady came to him vaguely at intervals, and there were many whisperings.

Sanders tried to sit up, but a cool hand restrained him. "Not yet, dear boy," said the Dream Lady, and then his mind became active, and he wanted to know where the stage was.

"You are through with the stage, my little driver," said the Dream Lady. "As soon as I can take you, you are going home with us, away back into the east, where there are no stages, but only schools and other little boys to play with. Where you will not have to work, but just become a man. You are going with me."

"Not by a damn sight," said Sanders, relapsing into his old-time emphasis. "I've got to stick with Mack. I ain't going to leave him. I'm going out across him and grasp the hand of the Dream Lady, saw a smile of tenderness break over her face, and saw her eyes look at the big man. Sanders, you are going east, but it won't be long until I am there to see you, and maybe some time we will all come back out here together. Sanders smiled, but, desiring the full approbation of the big man, murmured: "I don't my best, Mack, but they run away. And I don't on the game little cuss. You know I did, don't you?"

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Of course it wouldn't do to tell the cause of the enmity against the yard-boy—that would have been equaling the man's game was a hard one, and Sanders sympathized with himself for many days. But there was worse yet. Sanders' mother heard of the fight when she came to the mine to get the mending. McCarthy was as great a hero to her as to her son. So the dark-eyed, quiet man who had made life so much easier for her after her husband's death had put the boy "in the stage business like a pale castle Orionism in the cold country. No justice—no, but a pale hawk to be sure!"

That night Sanders had another battle, and when it ended his mother cried while he stood cullenly by, feeling that he had not been abandoned to the fight with her, she could lay no claim to physical superiority.

The tamaracs changed color and the grass on the open spaces grew gray with age. The stream was a

of the harm or death that might be his own lot, but dwell on the hurt that might come to the girl, or on the sorrow that would fall upon the superintendent's head. He thought of his mother, and what would happen to her if he failed to survive. And of the end of all his glorious career. And the drumming of the hoofs whipped ever faster and faster as the pace increased.

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Put the potatoes and onion to fry; when brown add the potatoes; then add the salt, pepper and chopped parsley. When nice and brown add the milk, then set a few minutes and fold over and turn out on hot platter.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Dear Spirit Readers:

The New Year is really begun, and some of us have made resolutions for the keeping of which we will have hard struggles, and some times gross backslidings. But if we try to improve ourselves by taking an inventory of our personal stock, finding our weak spots, and our strong, then we are able to keep the one, and soften the other. However, the task is not an easy one, and we grow strong only through much hill-climbing and sincere desire. I am glad to note the increase in the women who deem life less a sign of weakness, as it surely is. There is one sure way of training mind and body for the various tasks of life, as well as combating the daily trivial annoyances that so constantly beset everybody, especially the house-maker. I am glad again because the so-called rich are becoming seriously interested in charities. In the uplifting of humanity, starting with the little child, before school days, and later in helping the schools. I am a strong anti-suffragist, but I firmly believe there is one public duty every woman should accept if the general public calls, and that is to be school director. Outside of the home, there is no such a problem as the school system. To see so many little children, say 25 to 45 under one teacher, in most disastrous both for children and instructors. The first impressions of childhood are most important, and the entire rest of life is governed by this early training. I leave this problem to any fair minded thinking person, and hope it may awaken some one to nothing in help along these lines.

The question of the future of our boys and girls is a most serious one. I feel to try to express on the minds of old and young alike the importance of uprightness, straightforwardness in every line, and looking the few prime duties of life straight in the face, recognizing the full meaning of these and living accordingly. Young people can ride always on these matters, and here comes the watchfulness, and the clear headed sense of the parents. In this development of the great American race of women, comes the training for raising a living, and every parent should see the advisability of preparing the child of each sex to earn a livelihood. No matter what the financial standing of the father, there is always the possibility of the loss of this wealth, then what can the mother do for her child for self support? Beside this livelihood training, the most important thing a woman can have is housework and home-making. Many mothers have the kind, but mistake idea that they will shield their daughters as long as they can, and do their own work. This is wrong to both parties, for to be a strong capable young woman, the home duties should be known and taught how to be dealt with. I cannot hear the remark "One can't expect to find brains in the kitchen," but this is the very place where this very apt that the best of living is? Does not the good health depend largely on the ability of the mother of this department on the scientific knowledge of foods, their comparative values of water, albumen, starch, etc., and their "perfect" cooking, and dairy service. No woman that can do this work well can have a greater accomplishment nor serve her fellowmen better. May have the erroneous idea that housework is degrading, and that the girls from a wrong and ignorant conception of the duties of life. The woman who raises a well bodied, manly boy and a girl, teaching them the true principles of life, is the most admirable creature made.

TIMELY RECIPES

BAVARIAN CABBAGE.

One-half head cabbage, cut fine, 1/2 cup vinegar, 1/2 cup water, 1 teaspoon sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon mustard, 1/2 teaspoon pepper.

Put the cabbage into pan over fire, add the cabbage, vinegar, water, salt, sugar and pepper and cook thirty minutes; serve hot.

BAKED FILLED APPLES.

Four tart apples, 1 cup seeded raisins, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup stale bread or cake crumbs, 1 tablespoon butter.

Wash, pare and core the apples. Wash the raisins through two waters, place them in double boiler and steam for 30 minutes; then fill into the apples. Brush pudding pan with half the butter and put the apples in, adding 1/2 cup cold water. Sprinkle with half the sugar and put into a moderate oven and bake until the apples are tender. Mix the other half of the sugar with the cake or bread crumbs and sprinkle over the top of the apples, and dot with the remainder of the butter, and bake until nice and brown. Serve cold.

CREAMED DRIED BEEF.

One-half pound dried beef, 1 tablespoon butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 2 cups milk, seasoning to taste.

Put the butter into pan, add the beef, and have been pulled into small pieces. Sprinkle the flour over the beef and mix well, and add the cold milk slowly; stir, boil 5 minutes. Serve in bread cases made as follows:

Cut the squares of bread 1 1/2 inches thick, cut out with a round cake cutter; cut out the center and brown in oven.

RELIAPIE PIE CRUST.

One quart of flour, one pint of butter, or half and half, butter and lard; a pinch of salt, and one and a quarter cupful of cold water. Sprinkle the salt in the flour and sift; mix quickly with the hand the shortening and pour in the cold water, a little at a time, and mix as quickly as possible. Roll out the crust and fit to pie plate. Trim from the top and the scraps are ready to be rolled out for another crust. Fill the plate and place on a wetting the bottom crust to make the upper one stick. Cut a few slits in the top crust to allow steam to escape, and bake in a quick oven. Sprinkle the pan with a little flour to prevent under crust from sticking. You may reduce quantities in making this crust for one pie. To beat the brown glaze with a little sugar and add a small quantity of milk. Brush this wash over the crust before placing in oven.

FRUIT SALAD.

Wipe and pare apples, and shape with a French vegetable cutter, having twenty-four small balls. Marinate with French dressing, and let stand until thoroughly chilled. If a French cucumber is not hand, the apples may be cut in three-fourths inch cubes. Mash a cream cheese and add one teaspoonful each of Worcestershire sauce and salt, and one teaspoonful of canned chopped pickles; then shape into small balls. Add a small ball of crisp lettuce leaves, and garnish with strips of pickles. Serve with a French dressing, and one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-fourth teaspoonful of pepper and a few grains of French dressing. Add one and two tablespoons of vinegar, and four tablespoons of olive oil, and stir until well blended.

BOILED MACKEREL.

Put the mackerel in pan and cover with cold water the night before; it must be skin side down. The next morning remove from the water, put into shallow pan and cover with cold water; put on fire and let come to a boil slowly, and boil 10 minutes. If the mackerel is thin, it takes less time than it does when thick. Remove from water and put on hot platter and add a little melted butter and dust with pepper.

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FISH TIMBALES.

Cook one pound of halibut for twenty minutes in boiling salted water, and drain, then flake with a fork, and season with a little salt, a speck of cayenne, and two tablespoons of lemon juice, and rub all through a sieve. Beat one-half cupful of cream very stiff, and add to the fish, then fold in the stiffly-beaten whites of two eggs. Have ready some slightly-buttered timbale molds, which might have the inside ornamented with pinpoints and truffles cut in fancy shapes; turn in the fish mixture; cover the tops with buttered paper, surround with hot water, and bake in a moderate oven for twenty minutes. Meanwhile, mix one large tablespoonful of butter; add two small tablespoonfuls of flour; one-half teaspoonful of salt, a dash of pepper, a few drops of onion-juice, and one tablespoonful of lemon-juice, then pour on slowly one and one-half cupfuls of hot water; stir and cook for five minutes, and add the yolks of two eggs, and cook one moment longer. Unmold the fish, and serve with the sauce poured around it.

A COUNTRY WOMAN.

FICHU IN GRACEFUL DRAPE

Pretty Idea That Might Be Copied by Those Desirous of Having Distinctive Appearance.

On a charming little frock too new to have been imitated as yet the graceful fichu was draped rather openly to show a vest or "tucker" of fine white batiste, the unique openwork stripes of which, running up and down, were simple rows where threads had been drawn and the open spaces evenly double hemstitched in black working silk. The neck edge of this was rounded, giving a neck of the same black working silk that was threaded through with a little twisted cord of black silk, the tasselled ends of which well showed the black fichu.

The turnback cuffs were of the same hemstitched batiste, but with the upper edges also double hemstitched, giving a rather severe but extremely up to date touch. A little panel of the same was let in the skirt, revealed by the side draping of the gown fabric, and the waist of the same was outlined by a cordiere of black silk.

This double hemstitching, which is even more effective and new, as used for dress trimming, than the single hemstitch so much favored by Parisian modistes, is by no means troublesome to work if only care be taken to make up the same number of stitches with each new knitting. It is worked on the right side of the material, and when done in a heavy silk thread of contrasting color, it gives a most charming combinations. In white on white, however, it is especially adapted for the borders of the new fichus, and several rows can be wrought, one beside the other.



Fancy Feathers

EVERY season brings out many things new and strange in fancy feathers. As a rule these feathers are beautiful because they are pieces of feathers from which they are made are beautiful, to start with, and because the designers of feather trimmings work with great enthusiasm. A successful piece means a great demand, which spells profit for the manufacturer. Then, the variety and the making of the feathers in natural feathers, and the wonderful changes which can be made in them by processes of bleaching, dyeing and piecing make possible an inexhaustible variety of design.

Makers of fancy feathers govern themselves, in a measure, by the hat shapes which prove to be popular. They follow the lead of fashion in the matter of color because they must. Great quantities of white, and black and white, pieces are designed and are saleable every season. A well made fancy feather is a very satisfactory trimming. When hats must stand constant wear, there is nothing to be preferred before them. They stand wind and weather and many of them may even be successfully cleaned with soap and water.

The making of feather pieces is a great industry. All domestic fowls and many wild ones contribute plumage for this purpose. Feathers are so changed by clipping, bleaching, dyeing and by combination with other feathers that only the expert can tell what the original "raw" feathers came from.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

CHOICE IN STYLE FOR HAIR

Famous Modistes Design Headresses in Keeping With the Costume to Be Worn With Them.

Headresses are quite wonderful. Mme. Paquin, Paul Poirer, Beer, and many of the other famous costumers are making a specialty of them, and are offering them with or without the gown.

There are walls-of-Troy in rhinestones and jet, with a white aigrette at the side; there are two-inch bands of tarnished bullion latticework set with turquoise and garnet; there are broad bars of black tulle, held by horizontal bars of rhinestones set in silver; black velvet bands with a latticework of jewels and a yellow aigrette at the side.

In addition to all these Oriental flets there is a wide showing of the fourteenth century Italian caps, in keeping with the sleeves, the shoulder line, and the lace ruffles which are revived from the Italian period.

The caps are like those to which we once gave the name of Juliet; they are made of pearls, crystals, turquoise, and corals on a white satin or white tulle foundation. As pink is so much the fashion this year among the exclusives, although it is not widely talked about, one sees a good many of these caps made of coral beads strung on coral silk and mounted on a white fabric.

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Fancy Gauze Hairbands.

Plain gold and silver gauze ribbons are largely used for fancy hairbands, says the Dry Goods Economist. Innumerable varieties of fancy bags are made of warp-printed ribbons combined with satin. Every type and size of bag is represented in the Christmas novelty ribbons, from the largest work bag to the daintiest of vanity bags that can hold only a powder-puff and miniature mirror. Gold lace, gold braid and ruffles made of narrow ribbons shroud the center are used as edge trimmings and to conceal seams.

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Jarretstown and Dreshertown

Several of our summer attendants at Willow Grove on New Year's day.

William De Prefontaine will hold a sale of personal property on Tuesday next. Mr. De Prefontaine has sold his property.

William C. Potts, one of our oldest residents, died on Tuesday last, aged 64 years. He had been ill with pneumonia. He was a prominent man, being interested in several enterprises, a director of the Amalgamated National Bank, connected with the management of several turnpikes, and a large real estate owner. His wife and son died about one year ago. His funeral will be held this Saturday, burial at Upper Dublin Friends Meeting.

CHELTENHAM

William Gayle is repairing the siding in Gerbert's road yard.

The young folks are having great sport coasting on Rowland avenue.

Rev. J. T. Gray is holding special meetings in the M. E. church this week.

One of Harry Deane's children is seriously ill at his home on Myers avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Herman spent New Year's day in Lansdale with their brother.

The dramatic association held a mask ball in the fire house hall on Tuesday evening.

Arch Gruber and family and Mr. Mrs. Arthur Denney spent New Year's day in Philadelphia.

Mr. Smith has moved into his new home on Franklin avenue, from Mrs. Smith's house on Myers avenue.

Miss Anna Smith was removed from home on Washington avenue to Jewish hospital on Tuesday, suffering with appendicitis and was operated on the same day.

The yearly meeting of the fire company was held in the fire house on Monday evening. After the meeting of the company had been transacted there was good singing by a lot from the city. The banquet enjoyed by everyone present.

RICHBORO

Arch Dougherty is one of the most notable farmers of Northampton township. He raised 76 cart loads of hams and a large crop of flour, dry hay, besides potatoes, etc. rutabagas and hay are shipped market, as it keeps him busy hauling potatoes.

A man who refuses to flatter an may deserve all the contempt feels for him.

Fox Chase and Rockledge

Ladies' Auxiliary meeting on Tuesday evening.

P. M. Hiest spent a few days at Lancaster.

Ladies' Auxiliary held a dance on Saturday evening at the Rockledge fire house.

Rockledge trustees of the fire house have redeemed ten bonds during the past year.

Rockledge school board meetings are held on the first Friday evening of the month.

John Keenan will hold a sale of cows at the Rockledge hotel, on Monday next.

Wilson J. Ashby, a respected citizen of the borough, died last week at the ripe age of 83 years.

Musical entertainment was held at the Episcopal chapel on Tuesday evening last and was well attended.

Borough auditors met on Wednesday, the treasurer and collector's books were audited and found correct. Total outstanding taxes due the borough about \$550.

John Keenan surprised the day last. Burgess Scher surprised the members by being in attendance, while suffering from illness. Squire Goebl administered the oath of office to Messrs. Barth, Dill and Buckley.

George H. Dill was chosen president; E. Johnson, clerk; G. W. Richardson, treasurer; Irvin P. Knipe, attorney; Edgar meeting of council on Monday evening.

Annual meeting of Rockledge Fire Company No. 1 was held on Tuesday evening, January 2. About 60 members were present and various reports were reported. Entertainment committee and sale of block party goods about \$67.

Election of officers resulted as follows: Harry Goebl, president; H. Scher, vice president; George H. Dill, secretary; G. H. Dill, treasurer; J. Knipe, captain; H. Jacob, first assistant; A. Heister, second assistant, and 12 directors. President Goebl appointed the various committees to commence work for the year 1912. E. Campbell met with defeat in the election of board of directors, by the choice of I. Wright in his place.

A public sale of personal property of Michael Cavanaugh, deceased, will be held on the Forester, farm, State road, Torresdale, on Wednesday, January 17th.

Alvin Knight and Joseph Russell of Johnsville, were in Philadelphia. They attracted attention of the streets by their diversity of heights.

J. P. Long of Holland, entertained New Year's day, Hugh Dougherty and family of Richboro, James M. Knight and family of Johnsville, Joseph Sheek and family of New Jersey, Mrs. Reed and son and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Holland.

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Hathoro Home Happenings

Albert Lyons, of Edison, was a visitor in the borough on Saturday.

Mrs. Laura Clayton, of Philadelphia, visited her sister, Elizabeth Beams during the holidays.

The Social Union of the Baptist church will be held at the parsonage on Monday night, the 13th.

J. N. Watson will have another public sale in about two weeks. Any one who has goods to dispose of should see him.

Mrs. Carolyn Yerkes and Carroll Yerkes are spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Ingle, at Reading.

The week of prayer will be observed in the Baptist church next week on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings.

The Hathoro High school basketball team will play the Doylestown High school team Friday, January 5, in Lohr hall, Hathoro, at 8 p. m.

Edwin Ritchie, Esq., on looking up some bank diary accounts found that on January 10, 1866 the mercury stood at 16 degrees below zero at sunrise.

Taxpayers should read the annual statement of receipts and expenditures of the borough, published in another column of this information.

A dance was given in Wilson Hall last Saturday evening by Mrs. H. W. Logan, Mrs. W. S. Buckman and Mrs. Walter Rothwell. The young people had a very pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tomlinson, Miss Bertha Tomlinson and Mrs. Elizabeth Beams were delightfully entertained on New Year's day at the home of their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Leedom, Southampton.

Rev. F. C. Colby will preach in the Baptist church this Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Place and Power of Memory." Evening subject, "Two Very Serious Mistakes." Every-body welcome.

Harry Flite, in charge of the regular department at the Dager-Robinson garage, left on Friday morning for New York, where he delivers a Mercor touring car, which has been repaired and overhauled at the Dager-Robinson garage.

The car was towed in on Christmas day, when a gentleman with a party of ladies were stranded on Street near the Southampton. While in New York Mr. Flite will take in the automobile show.

MASON'S SALES.

John S. Mason, real estate broker, has sold for Martha G. Hartrant, her property containing about two acres situate on trolley line between Ryans Corner and Stooysville, in Newtown township, to Elizabeth Randall, of Philadelphia; price not disclosed.

Randall will take possession about the middle of February. Albert P. Blaise of Philadelphia, who has been the owner of the property, of about one acre located at Davis Grove, parsonage, to Albert P. Blaise of the same place at private figures; possession about April first.

Edward Smith, of Germantown, who has already taken possession.

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HARTSVILLE

Rev. S. G. Boardman is recovering nicely from a fractured arm.

Mrs. Florence Reid, of Philadelphia, recently visited her sister, Mrs. M. and Mrs. Theodore Foster entertained at a New Year's dinner.

Mrs. A. E. Stuart and son Henry W. have returned from a visit to Ardmore, spending a time with relatives at Ardmore.

The mid-week prayer meeting of the Neshaunim Warwick church was held on Wednesday evening in the church.

Miss Eleanor D. Worthington entertained on Monday evening to a New Year's party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Darrah.

The young people of the Neshaunim of Warwick church that participated in the Christmas cantata in the church on Saturday evening before Xmas repeated the cantata the following Thursday evening in the Warrington hall.

Mrs. Nancy Carr entertained on Monday to a New Year's dinner the following guests: Mrs. Elizabeth Padgett, Mrs. Charles Dabridge and children, Ella and Ernest, Mr. and Mrs. C. Carr, Dabridge and Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Dabridge and daughter, Elsie, Mrs. Annie Ramsey, Miss Rachel Thompson and Harry Dabridge.

Our public school reopened on Monday. Teacher and pupils enjoyed the Friday afternoon before Xmas when the cantata was given in the Warrington hall.

The school closed on Tuesday. The exercises, which included recitations, dialogues and tableaux. The room was nicely decorated with miniature evergreen trees. At the close of the exercises the teacher, Miss Elizabeth Reid, gave each scholar a box of candy.

CHURCHVILLE

John Krier has pneumonia.

Charles G. Knight has pneumonia.

William Bradford moved to Colmar on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lowmes entertained friends over Sunday.

Misses Florence and Bertha Harverson spent New Year's at Elizabeth, New Jersey.

William Leedom has been spending holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Y. Leedom.

Theo. Knight, of Philadelphia, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knight, on Sunday.

William Hawkins and family, of Byberry, spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. William Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Tomlinson, of Philadelphia.

Rev. Paul Stroehrer moved from Wyckoff, New Jersey, to Churchville on Wednesday. He will preach in the Reformed church January 7th.

The yearly meeting of the Churchville Baptist church, which was held at Buffalo, N. Y., was held in Heston's hall January 1st. New members of stock were taken this month.

The interior of the church parsonage has been very much improved by paint and paper, and cement floor in cellar, windows shaded with a new range. Many kind friends gave their time at the work which reduced the expenses very much.

Putnam Tenyson.

Tenyson was one of the most fortunate of poets in that he was rarely criticised adversely, yet Mr. Bram Stoker, who saw him often while they were in course of production at the Lyceum, said that he used constantly to complain of "the attacks made on him." He actually wound up one day by declaring that he often wished he had never written a line.

Antimony.

Antimony was first attracted from the ore in 1490 by a monk.

A Wearable Walk.

At Sheffield, England, in 1850, Richard Marks walked 1,000 miles in 1,000 hours, commencing each mile at the beginning of each hour. He was completely exhausted at the expiration of the task, and for a time it was thought that he would die, but he finally recovered his strength.

Illuminating a City.

Emperor Constantine early in the fourth century caused the whole city of Constantinople to be illuminated on Easter eve with lamps and wax candles.

Croup.

Croup, that acute and sometimes fatal infantile disease, although known from a remote period, was not scientifically described and treated until 1792.

An-Indian Giant.

The Irish giant Patrick O'Brien, who lived from 1710 to 1800, was eight feet seven inches high and for many years exhibited himself in London and at fairs at Southfield. His hand from the shoulder to the palm to the extremity of the middle finger measured twelve inches, and his side was seventeen inches long.

The Arabian Way.

Most celebrated of all the Roman roads, the Arabian way, was originally constructed in 113 C. It extended a distance of 125 miles.

Bamboo in China and Japan.

For centuries the Japanese and Chinese have raised the bamboo as a practical crop. The natives of tropical India and the Malay archipelago have used it at a less extent. It depends not only for their chief building material, but for ropes, mats, kitchen utensils, etc.

Ivyland and Breadyville

IVYLAND IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION MEETS

The Ivyland Improvement Association met on Thursday evening of this week at eight o'clock at the town hall. Everything is in a bright condition, and the almost sure of the main street and Jacksonville road will be marooned by the electric lights and trolleys. As this was the annual meeting, the following were present: William Hoback, vice president; Joseph Addis, secretary; B. Frank Hoback, treasurer; the rest of the officers were re-elected. All we want now is more members so we will have a big pile of money in the treasurer's hands, which we will surely need.

It was above zero on Friday morning.

Harmen Walker spent New Year's day in the city and will leave this Saturday for California.

B. Frank Hober and wife will leave this Saturday for California.

Visitors in the city on Monday.

Rev. B. M. Gennell and son, Chalmers, spent Saturday in the city.

Mrs. Willis Yerkes was visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. B. Duckworth and family.

Mrs. Mary Morgan, who has been ill for some time, is slowly improving.

Abba Cornell, of Philadelphia, was spending the holidays at her home in the borough.

Mrs. Charles Carr and Mrs. John Finney spent Saturday and Sunday in the city.

Wilmor Cornell, of Doylestown, was a visitor in the borough on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Atkinson is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Hoback.

The Ivyland minstrel troupe will give an entertainment in the hall on January 27.

George Ramsey, wife and baby, of Cheltenham, recently visited relatives in the borough.

Eleanor Caldwell, of Warrington, was spending a few days with her cousin, Elizabeth Cornell.

Albert Jamison and family spent Saturday and Sunday with L. W. Yerkes and wife, of Hathoro.

The prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Fetter on next Tuesday evening.

Harry Jamison, wife and daughter, Edward Jamison and wife.

B. Frank Hoback, agent for Maggie Layton, had a well attended sale of personal property on Wednesday last.

F. H. Hoback, agent for George Elmer, will hold a sale of cows at Duckworth's hotel, on Monday, January 15th.

William Hoback had 74 head of cattle at Ivyland station this week, which he purchased at Buffalo, N. Y., on Monday last. They were bred by Mr. Hoback's father, where they will be wintered and fattened.

Bethayres-Huntingdon Valley

Miss Lucy Williams visited her brother, Lewis Williams, this week.

Laf LaRue entertained quite a number of friends at a fine dinner on New Year's evening.

H. W. Worthington on Tuesday attended the poultry show at Camden, N. J. Harry has but Wyandottes in his yard.

The Valley Club met at the home of Walter and Lewis Coulter on Tuesday evening. Every one reports having a good time.

A large number of our residents attended the dedication of Wanamaker's store on Saturday afternoon and shook the hand of President Taft.

The Horse Company meets in Odd Fellows' hall on Monday afternoon. Their annual dinner will be given at Lady Washington Inn at 5 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth and Miss Margaret Ragen of Bethayres, spent Christmas day with their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. F. Cooke, of Frankford, Philadelphia.

On New Year's day a large crowd of people came to the shooting range at Sorrel Horse hotel. The pig was caught after an exciting run by Harry Zimmerman.

J. Hoback won a prize in the goose in shooting at a dead mark. C. Zimmerman got the goose in the blue rock shoot. Mr. Nice also won a goose.

A course of sermons on "Heroes of the Bible" will be delivered by the Rev. H. H. Prouse in the Bethayres M. E. church on the first eight Sunday evenings of the new year. The first one will be delivered next Sunday evening. Services beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The character will be "Jesus the Pioneer."

Davidville-Southampton

Mrs. Guy Leedom is at present suffering with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Emma Leedom has recovered from an attack of quinsy.

Helen Hopland was given a party on last Saturday in honor of her 18th birthday.

Jeremiah Yerkes celebrated his 85th birthday on Saturday, by helping his son kill hogs.

Abraham Hopland and wife and son, Harold, and Theodore Hopland and wife, of Doylestown, Montana, arrived Saturday for a two month visit.

The Missionary Circle of the Davidville Baptist church held its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Emma Leedom. There was a large attendance and a good program.

Rev. A. W. Anderson will preach in the Davidville Baptist church on Sunday morning, "Baptism, What is It?" In the evening the subject will be "What is a Christian?" Baptism will follow the sermon.

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WOODMONT

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine spent Xmas in the city.

Miss Wallace, Miss O'Neill and Mr. O'Neill were the Monday guests of Gertrude Nice.

Miss Anna Wallace, of Frankford, was the Friday 11th Monday guest of Gertrude Nice.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. Albee, Mrs. James Lyons and E. O. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mason entertained their children and grandchildren to dinner on New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Michener, Edith and Walter Michener, spent Monday with their sister, Mrs. Lukens, of Fitzwaterstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine entertained on New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. Bole and Mrs. Mrs. Schnobels and daughter, of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lyons entertained on Xmas day Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Royce, sons and daughter, of Malvern, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lyons, of Camden, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nice entertained to dinner on Xmas, Mrs. Sarah A. Nice and son Samuel Nice, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Gennell and son, Chalmers, and Jennie Nice, Ralph, Nathan, George and Russell Nice.

Mrs. Albert Mann and daughters, Charlotte and May, visited on Xmas day to her children and grandchildren. Among these present were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Danenhower, and Mrs. Morris Hollowell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Danenhower, daughter, Mrs. George Hamel and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Danenhower, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Danenhower.

Howard Spencer spent Wednesday in Philadelphia.

Harry Ramsey entertained several friends at cards on Saturday evening.

Miss Ruth Snyder is spending some time with Mrs. S. W. Pearson, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Nettie Spencer and Mrs. Pearl Spencer and son, Albert, visited Mrs. Ray Davis on Wednesday.

Howard Plack has returned to New York, where he is attending school, after spending two weeks at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Plack.

Regular meeting of the Roslyn Improvement and Protective Association next Monday night.

Mrs. Lucia M. Hardy died on Thursday, December 28, at the home of Mrs. D. H. Lovejoy. Mrs. Hardy, who was the mother of Mrs. Frank E. Lovejoy, was the widow of the Rev. L. M. Hardy, former arch deacon of the Episcopal diocese of New York, and a sister of Admiral Philip, of the U. S. Navy. Funeral services were held at Pomfret, Conn.

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DEATHS

NOTICES OF DEATHS published in this paper are for a fee of 50 cents. Free. Funeral invitations, obituaries, etc. One Cent per Word. Prepaid.

POOTS-NEAR Port. On Wednesday, first day, first month 2nd, 1912, William C. Potts, aged 34 years.

Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Tuesday day, first day, first month 2nd, 1912, at Upper Dublin Friends Meeting.

BLAKE-At Opa's on December 31, 1911, Hannah Clark, wife of Jonathan B. Blake.

CALL-Suddenly, January 1st, 1912, near Newtown, Bucks county, Pa., Esther Herz, beloved wife of Joseph Herz, and twin daughter of William and Sarah A. Herz, aged 25 years.

PORTESQUE-On December 29, near 83, Prof. Walter S. Portesque, aged 83.

KELLMAN-William Kelman, Pa., January 1, Benjamin Kelman, 61 years.

GANNER-In Hathoro, January 2, 1912, Samuel J. Ganner, in his 69th year.

BRIDGE-At his home, January 2, 1912, Bridget, wife of Michael Le, 60 years.

LYLE-At Oak Lane, on December 31, 1911, Elizabeth Agnes Lyle, in her 79th year.

LEFFERTS-In Frankford, on December 31, 1911, Charles D. Lefferts, in his 76th year.

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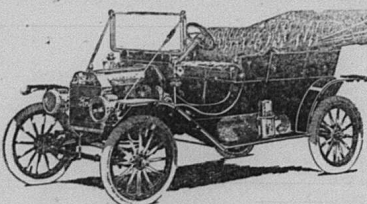
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Hatboro Home Happenings

(Continued from Page Seven)

Schools reopened on Tuesday last. Thomas Watson is now able to be about his home.

Warren Carson, Jr., is confined to his home by illness.

The monthly meeting of the borough council was held on Tuesday night.

Rev. J. Purman Shook preaches in the First Church, Germantown, this evening.

Raymond Eldridge, formerly of this place, was calling in the borough on Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Winner has taken a position as night operator at the Bell Telephone Exchange.

The monthly meeting of W. K. Bray Lodge, F. and A. M., was held on Wednesday evening.

J. N. Watson held a successful sale at Moore's hotel on Saturday. Articles sold at good prices.

The inclement weather on Sunday interfered greatly with the attendance at the church services.

A. R. Andrews has placed a hot water heating plant in his attractive residence on Moreland avenue.

The chemical warfare of the fire company has been returned to the firehouse and is now in first-class condition.

Miss Mary Stone has been spending some time as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Florence Welsh, of Glendora, New Jersey.

Ephraim Weldner, who is confined at the Hahnemann hospital, Philadelphia, suffering with stomach trouble, is slowly improving.

The annual election for Directors of the Hatboro National Bank will be held next Tuesday. The board will reorganize on Thursday next.

Miss Anna S. Lindsay entertained on Thursday evening a number of young people in honor of Misses Jessie and Ruth Wolf, of Altoona.

Several persons from the borough were down in Philadelphia seeing the New Year's demonstration, watching the old year out and the new year in.

Bank Examiner Chapman carefully scrutinized the accounts of the Hatboro National Bank on Wednesday and found the institution in fine condition.

Many friends of George D. Kotz gave him a surprise party on New Year's evening. The occasion was largely attended and a pleasant time enjoyed.

Lieutenant Fisher Post G. A. R., will have public installation of officers next Monday evening. Comrade Edward Spriegel, of Lansdale, will be installing officer.

The recent fire at the Orange Home, having burned all the stabling, the cattle will be sold at public sale next Monday at Moore's Inn. R. E. Mason will have the sale in charge.

In the Methodist Episcopal church next Sabbath, J. Purman Shook at both services. Morning at 10:30. "The Lord's Memorial," evening at 7:45. "Life Resolutions." Everybody welcome.

E. O. Mason, the well-known miller, of Woodmont, whose health has been poor, has been undergoing treatment in a Philadelphia hospital. His friends will be pleased to know that he is improving.

John C. Beans, who purchased the Barclow farm near Southampton, as told in our last issue, will shortly resign his position as freight agent for the Rapid Transit Company, here, and will move to the farm, before spring opens.

Among those attending the celebration at the Wanamaker store in Philadelphia, on Saturday, which was attended by President Taft, were Mrs. Laura Leidy, W. P. Wheatland, C. K. Crouthamel, Paul Jones, the Misses Goehter, Dr. C. O. Dager and others.

In the M. E. church on last Sunday evening, Misses Pearl and Marion Clayton sang a beautiful duet. On Sunday, January 14th, Rev. Eli E. Burris, Superintendent of the South District of the M. E. Conference, will preach. Dr. Burris was a former pastor here, highly esteemed and has a reputation as a brilliant pulpit orator.

The "Neighbors" of Hatboro through the corresponding secretary have received an invitation to attend "A Historic Pageant of Famous Women" at the Bellevue-Stratford, on Wednesday, January 16, at 5 p. m. and 8:15 p. m. In England the value of these historic pageants as instructive agencies is fully recognized. Several of the ladies in the pageant are well-known in this vicinity.

The dinner of the Hatboro Business Men's Association at Moore's Inn, on Thursday evening next bids fair to be one of the largest and most successful affairs of its kind held in the borough for some time. About 60 are eligible and it is thought that nearly all will be present. Every one whose dues are paid is entitled to the dinner, which will be gotten up in Proprietor Moore's best style, which has made his hotel well known over the country. There will be everything that a good dinner should have, from oysters and soup to turkey and ice cream. The committee in charge has secured music to play during the meal. Before the dinner the annual meeting will be held with very little other business, so that there will be no delay for those taking dinner.

Round trip railroad fares to Philadelphia are now \$5 cents, an increase from 40 cents. Round trip fare remains at 20 cents. If the trolley officials at Willow Grove had little gumption and would see to holding for a fraction of a minute, their cars that are due to go out as a Hatboro car arrives, they would greatly increase the popularity and patronage of the trolley route to the city. As it is now, passengers from Hatboro generally arrive in time to see a Philadelphia bound car crossing the railroad, and they must wait with such patience as they can for six minutes more for the next one. This state of affairs has been more than once called to the attention of the officials in the Willow Grove trolley office, but with no result. The management at Willow Grove car barn needs a vigorous shaking up.

DECLARES HUSBAND DELIBERATE SLAYER

Mrs. E. B. Irwin Writes of Killing of Nephew at Yellow Springs, O.—The Murderer Formerly Lived in Jenkintown.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Irwin, wife of Robert E. Irwin, the former gun inspector in the naval department of the Midvale Steel Works, who shot and killed St. Clair Gentry, his wife's nephew, at Yellow Springs, O., December 23, has written to Jenkintown friends the first authentic account of the tragedy.

The Irwin family resided formerly in Jenkintown. Mrs. Irwin went some time ago and her husband went to the home of her relative two days before Christmas and shot Gentry. He escaped and has not been captured.

Mrs. Irwin's account of the shooting reads:

John B. Stevenson, stepfather of the murdered boy, lives on a farm of 265 acres, just ten miles south of Yellow Springs. It is also about the same distance north from Goes Station. Irwin was on the road on Saturday, December 23, in a woods just adjoining the Stevenson farm.

"He did not call at the home of the family until nearly 8:30 p. m. Upon his knocking at the door, Mr. Stevenson opened the door and I went into the house saying, 'I want to see my wife and children,' in a commanding voice."

He was asked to leave the house until an officer could be summoned before he was given an audience with his wife and children. He refused to leave and produced a loaded revolver from a hand satchel which he carried, hence the fear this time.

"Upon his refusing to leave the house, my brother-in-law searched him, and finding a razor in his overcoat pocket, my brother-in-law ejected him from the house, young Gentry, my nephew, helping. Irwin dragged Gentry from the house with him, and Mr. Cord, another brother-in-law, separated them, and brought Gentry to the house and closed the door. Irwin again rapped at the door and demanded admittance, saying if they refused he would come through the glass door."

"McGord opened the door and asked him if he had a gun and Irwin said, 'Yes, and I am going to kill some one,' and fired, with the words scarcely out of his mouth."

"McGord dodged the bullet, and it took Gentry through the abdomen. Since the shooting a magazine from an automatic revolver full of steel head bullets, and talking with the empty cartridge shell found in the house, had been hidden under the coal at the back of the house which stands almost opposite the Stevenson residence."

"He did not come for a reconciliation, but with murder in his heart he has always said that if I dared to oppose him in any way he would have revenge. He always carried a gun and of his arguments with me. Some of the statements in the papers would lead the public to believe that there was some justification on Irwin's part for his actions. These are false and misleading to the public and harrowing to the suffering parents."

EUREKA

H. A. Clymer and family spent Saturday and Sunday in Philadelphia.

Miss Adeline Larned has been suffering with tonsillitis the past week.

Mrs. Jacob Perry spent sometime with her sisters at Lawrenceville, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacNair gave a New Year's dinner to their children on New Year's day.

J. Allen Horner, of Chesterfield, N. J., spent Friday last week with H. A. Clymer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schuyler and children, of Edison, spent New Year's day with relatives here.

Miss Lucy Vandegriff, of Philadelphia, spent several days last week with Miss Mae Koehler.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor spent New Year's with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Taylor, of Irvington.

The Warrington Farmers' Club was entertained on Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKinstry.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Horner died on Sunday morning. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson B. McKinstry were in town on New Year's, Mr. McKinstry and daughter, Helen, William and Herbert McKinstry.

Miss Mae Koehler entertained the Christian Endeavor Social on last Friday evening, a very enjoyable evening was spent. There were about forty present.

HOLLAND

Mrs. Rachel Worthington is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Horner, of Chesterfield, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. James Knight and son, Alvin, of Johnsville, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Wendig, of New Hope, were New Year's visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harry MacCorrick.

ALL THESE PIES ARE GOOD

Four Suggestions Housewife Will Do Well to Try When Looking for Something New.

Mix well together two level table-spoons of cornstarch, one cupful of sugar, a pinch of salt, moisten with a little cold water and cook five minutes. Add one-half cup of raisins, seeded and chopped, and one and one-half cups of chopped cranberries.

Stirmer for 15 minutes, pour into a baked crust, cover with white of an egg beaten stiff with one tablespoonful of sugar, and brown lightly in the oven. The pie has the flavor of cherries.

One cupful of sour cream, one cupful of sugar, one pint of mashed sweet potatoes, yolks of four eggs, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-half a nutmeg, little salt. Mix and bake with one crust. Cover with meringue or spread while hot with strained honey.

Take two large tablespoonfuls of cornstarch, dissolve it in cold water to a smooth paste, pour on one-half pint of boiling water and stir until it thickens. Remove from the fire and add one cup of sugar, two apples grated, juice, rind of one lemon and a teaspoonful of butter. Bake in two crusts. Will make two medium-sized pies. Very nice.

Bake an old-fashioned raisin or fudger pie, in which you can bake some dry apples, a button for the thrifty wife or husband, a penny for the rich one and a pumpkin seed for the man or woman who will not make his or her mark in the world.

Pastor Isenberger, of Lansdale, was given a couple of checks, amounting to \$200.

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While John Taylor, 35 years old, of Second street and Wyoming avenue, was turning a switch in the freight yards of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway Company, at Olney, on Monday, he was run down by a switching engine, receiving injuries from which he died about three hours afterward.

The accident occurred not far from the man's home, to which place he was carried. Taylor was a member of the crew of the shifting engine. He had just finished turning a switch when the locomotive struck him. He was badly mangled.

Taylor is survived by a wife and one young child.

A steak thief opened the refrigerator in the Tremont Hotel, Lansdale, and carried off two geese and some other eatables.

At the quarterly conference Doylestown Methodist church unanimously asked to have Rev. Howard R. McCabe returned as pastor.

In playing about a low iron fence Lawrence Darlington, a Doylestown lad, slipped and fell on the iron prongs, sustaining two wounds in his left leg.

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RUSHLAND.

John Traub, of Harbor, visited his brother, William, on New Year's day. The blue rock and live bird match in Traub's meadow on Monday was well attended. Several from here attended the moving picture show in Penn's Park hall on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson attended the New Year's parade in Philadelphia on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Craig and daughter, Edith, of Bryn Mawr, spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. William Soden.

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McKINLEY

M. Lang sustained a sprained ankle the result of the slippery condition of the roads on Sunday last. W. H. Magaral has the contract for painting and repairing the flag pole in front of the public school. He will also cut 3 feet off the pole as it has been condemned as unsafe.

A shooting match for prizes was held on New Year's day on the athletic grounds, several of our citizens securing substantial prizes. Abe Hallowell won a pig and has serious thought of bidding for a sausage contract.

Nomination of officers will take place on Tuesday evening next at the fire house. Great interest is centered on the selections to be made, as the efficiency of the fire company depends much on a capable board of officers.

The New Year was ushered in with the usual noise of ringing of bells, shooting and shouting. Services were held in the three churches of our village. Many of the younger element went to the city and report having a great time.

If local capitalists invest in \$30,000 of the stock, a new motorcycle plant is a probable addition to Potstown industries.

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FEASTERVILLE

Mrs. Evanna Vansant is sick with measles. Mrs. Milton Crossdale is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. John Bridge spent Sunday with relatives in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vansant entertained relatives over New Year's.

The Alert Horse Company held their annual meeting on Thursday, January 4. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vansant spent Monday and Tuesday in the city.

Miss Ethel Vansant has returned home after spending sometime in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Reed entertained Elbert Snyder and family on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Tomlinson, Sr. and daughter, Mary visited Mrs. Joseph Tomlinson on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vansant spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Terry, of Ivyland.

FORT WASHINGTON

Communion services will be held in St. Paul's Reformed church on Sunday, January 7. Messrs. Fred and Harry Nilson left Tuesday for California, where they will make their permanent home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Huley gave a delightful dinner Saturday evening to a party of 10 Philadelphia friends. David McCree, carpenter and builder, is now attending repairs to the buildings on the Charles A. Yeakle estate.

John R. Fell is having improvements made in his stable. Several new stalls are being built and a number of repairs are being made therein.

George Hermann, who has been suffering with a painful carbuncle on his neck, has been removed to the Hahnemann hospital, Philadelphia, where he is recovering.

A match shoot for \$200 a side and a purse of \$200 was shot at Fort Side on Sunday afternoon between Kalter and Hendricks. The latter won, \$7 to \$4, out of 100 live birds.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Van Rensselaer closed their Camp Hill residence on Tuesday and have responded their town residence at Eighteenth and Walnut streets, where they will spend the balance of the winter.

William Hinkle, who has been employed by Joseph Weiss, of Hershman road, near Prospectville for the past 19 years, has resigned his position and will make his home with his mother, Mrs. Maryetta Hinkle, of Whitman.

ROSLYN

Mrs. J. Bradshaw has been spending some time visiting in Philadelphia. Mrs. A. L. Streeter was visiting in Jenkintown and Noble on Wednesday.

Misses Margaret and Marion Tull were visitors in Willow Grove last Friday and Saturday.

The Ladies' Auxiliary held their monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon in the cemetery chapel. A marriage license has been granted to Miss Elizabeth Kooper of Roslyn, formerly of this place, and Harry Osborne, of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Streeter recently entertained Miss Lida Wilsey, Charles Hess, Miss Mabel Weigner, Will Fricke, Sara and Jennie Streger, and Messrs. Harry and Abel Ledo, Jr.

Miss Jane Hamilton, of Willow Grove, and Mrs. Albert Boucher, Miss Mary Jane Boucher, Parry and Walter Boucher, were visitors at the home of William Tull and family, on Friday last.

JAMISON

William Conard, who has been ill, is able to sit up. E. P. Carrell has purchased a new Ford automobile.

Wilmer Allen and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Flack. Miss Carrie Mayer is spending some time with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holbert entertained several relatives New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Worsath entertained on a one o'clock dinner on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Radcliff entertained a few friends on Saturday evening.

Miss Rebekah Kerr, of Doylestown, spent Wednesday evening at her home in Bridge Valley.

Howard Flack has returned to Syracuse, N. Y., after spending the holidays with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. Roland Flack.

Mrs. John Stotsenberger, who was ill with pneumonia only a short time, died on Friday. Her remains were taken to Philadelphia for interment.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Marks were given a surprise in honor of their twentieth wedding anniversary on Saturday by about thirty of their relatives and friends. The day was pleasantly spent with music and social intercourse late in the day. The guests departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Marks many more anniversaries.

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Davisville—Southampton

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HARBOR SPIRIT: I would like you to correct the error made in last issue, as Jacob Fulton did not spend Christmas at Barton Brook, and you will greatly oblige. **JACOB F. FULTON, Per E. F.**

Samuel Leech, Jr., is on the sick list. Miss Ada Johnson spent New Year's in Palmyra, N. J.

Miss Helen Hogeland entertained on Saturday evening. Mrs. Fred Voelke was a recent Philadelphia visitor.

John Twining, of Ogontz, spent New Year's at his home here. John Bates house is completed and will soon be occupied by the owner.

The sewing circle met with Miss Carrie Heaton on Wednesday afternoon. Miss Harrison, of Churchville, was the recent guest of Mrs. Louis Harison.

Arnold P. Yerkes from Washington, was calling on friends one day this week. Maurice Hobensack, of Lewistown, Montana, has been visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barcalow and son, Harold, from Hustleton, spent the holidays with relatives here. J. VanSant wants understood that he was not at the place of Barton Brook on Christmas day, as has been stated.

Miss Hattie Harner, of Elkins Park and Miss Alice Fitzpatrick, of Philadelphia, were recent guests of Miss Phoebe Twining.

Miss Gertrude Huntman has returned to her home in New York City, after spending the holidays with Miss Phoebe Twining.

The play, which is being prepared by the dramatic club, for the benefit of the fire company will be given on February 23rd and 24th, one week later. The principal role "Jim Burley" will be taken by Mr. Wolf.

Regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the fire company will be held at the home of Mrs. Ella Harison, on Tuesday evening, January 8. This organization should appeal to all our ladies, in view of the help it will give to further fire company development.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard M. Leedom entertained on New Year's day, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. David Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. George Stradling, Mr. and Mrs. George Clayton, Mrs. Elizabeth Beane, Miss Bertha Tomlinson and Miss Laura Clayton.

William P. Klenk entertained at his home in Southampton a few of his young friends from Philadelphia, Saturday evening, December 31, 1911. The evening was spent in playing cards and music. At a late hour refreshments were served and the guests departed for home having a good time.

Those who were present were: Miss Florence G. Hall, Miss Loretta V. Daly, Miss Frances Roth, Miss May Rolling and Miss Elizabeth Flynn, Messrs. Gerald Miller, Bernard Hagen, George Haas, Robert Brown and James A. Flynn.

Glenside and Edge Hill

George Varwig, of Willow Grove pike, was on the sick list the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Searing, of Mt. Carmel avenue, spent New Year's day with relatives in Camden, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Foster, of Mt. Carmel avenue, spent New Year's day with friends in Philadelphia.

H. J. Surman, Jr., of Lime Kiln pike, injured his foot last week while bowling, having had a heavy ball fall on same.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Raelmel and family, of Cliveden avenue, spent New Year's day as the guests of relatives in Tioga.

R. G. Ringwalt, who has been confined to his home the past two months with pneumonia, is now able to be about.

The Executive committee of Men's Association of Carmel church met at the home of George Hamel on Thursday evening.

The C. E. Society of Carmel church held the regular monthly business and social meeting in the primary room on Tuesday evening.

The King's Daughters Society, of Carmel church met at the home of Mrs. Klara Van Winkle on Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Mrs. L. Reisinger and family, of Cliveden avenue, near Mt. Carmel avenue, were the guests of relatives in Philadelphia on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Earle Hoover, of Mt. Carmel avenue, were the guests of friends at a New Year dinner in Philadelphia on Monday last.

In comparison with other years the price of coal has had very little effect on the cost of living. The mildness of the early winter months.

The Christmas holidays now being over business will again assume normal conditions. Some of the places did more business while others did less.

Quite a good many of the local people went into Philadelphia on New Year's day to view the Mummers parade and to make New Year's calls on friends.

Howard Fenton is building a modern home on Cliveden avenue near Rosemore, that will conform to the other fine properties on that street. The property has a frontage of 100 feet.

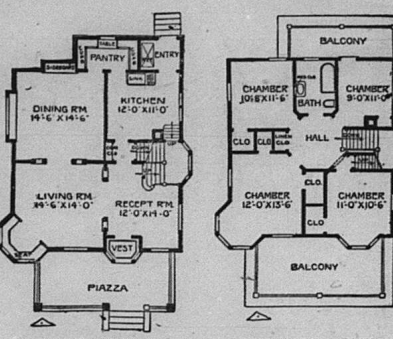
The schools opened on Tuesday morning, having a few days of freedom from lessons. They had very little if any studying and skating during the holidays, which is rather unusual.

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MORELAND TOWNSHIP

ACCOUNT OF HENRY W. MALLOWELL, HARRY KATZ AND FRANKLIN WATSON, SUPERVISORS OF MORELAND TOWNSHIP FOR THE TERM ENDING DECEMBER 4, 1911. **EPHRAIM SLUGG, TREASURER.**

CR.	
By amount of duplicate	\$14,289.93
balance from last year	492.51
\$ 1910 tax outstanding March 4, 1911	1,325.38
amount received from State	4,641.54
amount received from Montgomery Co.	12.00
amount received from interest on deposits	46.56
amount borrowed	2,000.00
amount received for steam roller hire	112.50
Total	\$23,179.42

DR.	
To borrowed money repaid	\$2,000.00
Interest on borrowed money	104.16
\$ per cent. abatement on \$14,656 tax paid before June	408.25
Errors and expenditures	294.96
\$1910 tax collected	1,325.38
salary of Treasurer	200.00
salary of Secretary	200.00
salary of Attorney	25.00
printing and advertising	29.00
repairs to roller and sprinkler	44.85
engineer and coal for roller when hired out	59.00
postage, telephone, etc.	24.84
freight on material	12.00
Auditors' fee	8.00
House expenses	4.50
Fire insurance on roller and sprinkler	4.00
	\$4,662.93

UPPER DISTRICT.	
To maintenance of earth roads	\$ 521.58
maintenance of improved roads	212.47
maintenance of bridges and culverts	60.29
new culvert pipe	18.71
terra cotta pipe	54.00
new tools and repairs	18.71
new concrete bridge, Moreland road	675.65
concrete road work for culvert, Moreland road	95.00
grading Moreland road	2087.00
finishing improvement for 110 feet Davisville road	87.71
improving 2300 feet Davisville road	2107.29
improving 300 feet Davisville road	489.16
specifications and plans for bridges, and surveys	122.50
inspection on bridge building	68.28
Freight	2.08
Road Masters' compensation	216.25
	\$7,687.13

LOWER DISTRICT.	
To maintenance of earth roads	\$1017.69
maintenance of improved roads	417.07
maintenance of bridges and culverts	91.23
new culvert pipe	122.00
new tools and repairs	35.01
new concrete top on bridge, Mill road	441.57
improving 215 feet Rock road	325.49
improving 215 feet Rock road	2742.82
freight and expenses	12.00
inspection on bridge building	41.57
Road Masters' compensation	481.25
	\$7,010.50

To tax outstanding	
balance in Treasurer's hands	\$2,396.64
Total	\$23,179.42

Resources	Liabilities
Cash in treasury	\$ 431.33
Outstanding tax	2,396.64
Value of machinery	2,000.00
	\$4,827.97

We the undersigned auditors elected to examine the accounts of the Supervisors of Moreland township have examined the same, compared them with the accounts of the Treasurer, Ephraim Slugg, and find a balance in his hands of \$4,827.97 due the township.

\$2,396.64 is the amount of uncollected tax due from collector. Audited December 20th, 1911.

HENRY W. MALLOWELL, STEPHEN H. LEWIS, NORVAL C. RAMSON, Auditors.

OBITUARY

WILLIAM C. POTTS.
William C. Potts, of near Fort Washington, died last Tuesday morning after an illness of about three weeks. He was aged 84 years. Death resulted from a heavy cold and resultant heart weakness. The end came very suddenly, only a few moments after he had foretold his own demise. His only son, Thomas Ellwood Potts, died just a year ago, and Phoebe K., wife of William C. Potts, died last March.

The deceased was a very active farmer of Upper Dublin township, having resided all his life at the corner of Fort Washington avenue and Susquehanna street, and up to within a few weeks of his illness took an active part in the management of his property.

Mr. Potts is the last member of the first board of directors of the First National Bank of Ambler, elected by the stockholders in 1884, having served continuously for a period of nearly 28 years. He was also a member of the board of directors and treasurer of the Lime Kiln Turnpike Road Company.

The funeral will be held this Saturday afternoon from his late residence at 1 o'clock and from the Upper Dublin Friends' meeting house at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the burying ground adjoining.

ELIZABETH A. LYLE.
On Sunday last, Elizabeth Agnes Lyle died in her 79th year. The funeral services were held on Wednesday from her brother's residence, Tyson Lyle, 227 Old York road, Oak Lane. Services were also held at Barren Hill Lutheran church. Interment was made in Barren Hill cemetery.

MRS. JONATHAN BLAKE.
Succumbing to a complication of diseases from which she had been a sufferer for a long time, Mrs. Hannah Clapp Blake died at her home, East Church road, Ogontz, late last Sunday night.

Mrs. Blake was the wife of Jonathan L. Blake, a widely-known horseman. She is survived by Mr. Blake and their two children. The funeral was held Wednesday.

DR. GEORGE M. CONRAD.
The funeral of Dr. George M. Conrad, a prominent physician of Philadelphia, was held from his home in that city on Saturday. Dr. Conrad was a son of the late Benjamin and Caroline Schuyler Conrad. He was born in New Britain and raised there. A widow and two sons survive him, also a brother, C. Jacob Conrad, and two sisters, Mrs. Alfred Mathews, of New Britain, and Caroline C. Harvey, of Philadelphia. Rev. John Meighan conducted the services, being an intimate friend of the deceased. Interment was made with Masonic rites at Laurel Hill cemetery.

MISS MARY RICH PRICE.
Miss Mary Rich Price, who was in her eighty-third year, died on Sunday morning, at the home of her nephew, J. B. Nightingale, State street, Doylestown, after being ill for about a week.

CHARLES D. LEFFERTS.
Charles D. Lefferts died on Saturday last, in his 76th year. The funeral services were held on Wednesday at the Churchville church. Interment in the church grounds.

PROF. W. S. FORTESCUE.
The funeral of Professor Walter S. Fortescue, founder of the Young Ladies' Seminary in Germantown, and widely known publisher of school and text books, was held last Sunday morning from his late residence, 7446 Stenton avenue, Mt. Airy. Professor Fortescue died December 29 after an illness of several weeks. Services at the house were conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. F. Dripps, and interment was in Ivy Hill cemetery.

Professor Fortescue was eighty-six years old. He was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 1850. After a few years of teaching he went to Macon, Ga., where he founded the Georgia Institute for the Blind. He then returned to Philadelphia and founded the seminary in Germantown. Many of the text books were used in public and private schools. He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Maria Gray Fortescue; two sons, Walter L. and

Horace Fortescue, the latter assistant cashier in the Philadelphia National Bank, and a grandson.

SAMUEL J. GARNER.
Samuel J. Garner died last Tuesday morning at his home, Byberry avenue, Hatboro, aged 59 years. Death was due to paralysis and complication of diseases.

Mr. Garner was first stricken in the summer of 1909, while stopping at Eagles' Mere. He partially regained his health, and was able to be about and give some attention to his affairs. On December 15 he suffered a second stroke and failed to rally from it. He was born near Doylestown in 1852, and had lived in Hatboro, since he was about 20 years old. He was a successful merchant and real estate broker. He served a long period as school director, and at the time of his death had completed a term as Register of Wills of Montgomery county. Deceased is survived by a wife and five children. The funeral will be held this Friday afternoon.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The PUBLIC SPIRIT solicits from its readers the news of marriages, weddings and social functions, also personal items, but all communications must have authentic signatures and dates, and the SPIRIT when sending in news, they will be sent to you without charge.

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ELOPE TO WILMINGTON AND WED

Miss Margaret H. Weak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weak, of Ambler, and George W. Camman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Camman, stole a march on their parents Wednesday by quietly slipping away to Wilmington, Del., and getting married.

An appeal from the decision of Justice of the Peace Willis Wall, of Doylestown, in the case of Mahlon J. Nutt, of Chalfont, charged with trespass, has been filed in the Quarter Sessions courts, the verdict having been for the plaintiff, A. B. Wilgus, for 6 cents.

SLIPPERY PAVING IS DANGEROUS

To Man and Beast Declares Bustleton and Somerton Teamsters in Petition to City Authorities.

Residents of the vicinity of Bustleton and Somerton, who are obliged to use the Bustleton turnpike in traveling to and from the city, have signed three lengthy petitions, which were presented to Director of Public Works Morris L. Cooke, of Philadelphia, by Frank B. Rutherford, secretary for the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, requesting that the city remove the new travertine surface on the turnpike between Bell's Corner and Somerton, which, they declare, is a menace to life and limb of both man and beast. Several serious accidents have happened recently on this road at Ax Factory and Bustleton hills, where there are steep grades, and it is asked that the paving be replaced immediately at these places by macadam.

Farmers and others who are compelled to drive to the city in rainy weather now make use of the Welsh road, which requires them to go three miles out of their way, entailing a great loss of time and much strain on their horses and teams.

The tarria paving, they declare, is too hard and slippery for heavy grades the horses falling, sliding and straining themselves, and the wagons sliding with brakes applied. Temporary relief afforded by sanding and redressing is far from satisfactory, it is said, and the material is quickly carried away by vehicles or washed or blown away in bad weather. The residents declare that unless relief is provided suit will be brought against the city.

SOMERTON

The Dickens Club held their regular weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Carl Rolle.

James Hunter Nicholson, of New York, (niece of Helen M. Nicholson) spent a few days at her home during Christmas week.

Fremont Bowman removed his family to the Jesse Tomlinson place on the Byberry farms this week, where he assumes the position of head farmer.

John Kiggins, who until a few weeks ago was a resident here, passed away on Sunday last, in Frankford. The funeral services were held on Thursday of this week. He is survived by a widow and one daughter.

The regular yearly meeting of the Somerton Building and Loan Association was held in Ervin's hall on Monday evening last. The officers and directors of last year were re-elected, with exception of Samuel Sichel being elected in place of H. S. Bonner, resigned.

BUSTLETON

Schools opened again on Monday.

Mrs. J. T. Dungan is quite ill at Easton, Pa.

Miss Irene Dyer entertained guests on Saturday.

Elsie Cattanach spent New Year's day at Sandford.

Miss Elizabeth Pownall is nursing Mrs. Hilba, of Treves.

Miss Alma Bonner visited Miss Ida Ueber on Friday afternoon.

Thomas Hickman, Jr., is convalescing from an attack of measles.

Leslie Heritage was among the Bustleton viewers of the New Year's parade.

The Huey farm is listed upon Freeman's list for an early sale, as the estate of Mr. Grouch.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman entertained the members of the Country Club on Tuesday evening.

R. Hackney has been appointed a van guard under Mr. Ryan. Joseph Root was not re-appointed.

John Kiggins, a former hotel landlord, died in Frankford on Sunday morning. He kept the Bustleton hotel several years.

A large modern motor car for the International Railway Company of New York passed through Bustleton Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Beck attended the Chestnut street theatre on New Year's day. The play was "Forty Minutes to Broadway."

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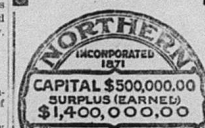
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Enter very largely into the success attained by thrifty persons. It has been the experience of every one who has gotten ahead very far by his own efforts, that hoping and planning and working go hand in hand.

PLAN TO SAVE AND YOU CAN SAVE
This Bank provides an absolutely safe place for you to deposit your savings and gives you 3 per cent. compound interest. (Interest credited three times a year.)
Let your money make money for you here.

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Of Ambler, Pa.

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You have many things about the place that could be turned into money through a half-inch ad. in the SPIRIT.

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MONEY TO LOAN

WILL YOU NEED READY CASH TO TIDE YOU OVER THE FIRST OF THE YEAR?

OUR BUSINESS IS LOANING MONEY ON PROPER SECURITY—COLLATERAL OR GOOD ENDORSEMENT.

WE WANT TO LOAN MONEY IN OUR OWN NEIGHBORHOOD, WHERE IT WILL BENEFIT ALL LINES OF BUSINESS.

IF YOU WANT TO BORROW, NAME THE AMOUNT, THE SECURITY YOU OFFER, AND YOU WILL FIND US LIBERAL AND COURTEOUS.

Hatboro National Bank

Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent \$2.50 per year and up.

The People's National Bank, of Langhorne, Pa.

Capital \$50,000.00
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DEPOSITORY FOR THE FUNDS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, THREE PER CENT INTEREST PAID ON CERTIFICATES AND SAVING FUND ACCOUNTS.

INTEREST PAID ON ESTATE ACCOUNTS SUBJECT TO CHECK.
ALL BUSINESS ENTRUSTED TO US WILL RECEIVE PROMPT AND CAREFUL ATTENTION.

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3.65 Per Cent. Interest Paid on Deposits

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"SPIRIT" HUMOROUS SECTION

NO WORRIES



"It certainly does me good to read the news nowadays, Edwin."
"How's dat? Do you tink it's better'n goin' to school?"
"Yep; it makes me feel so glad I ain't no trust magnate."

AWFUL LARGE



Hison—Who invented gas meters?
Dixon—Judging from my last gas bill, I should say Ananias.

IN THE LIVE BOX.



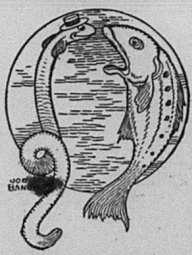
Willie Rock—Say, Johnnie, I don't want to play in your yard.

THEN HE SAID GOOD NIGHT



Mr. Bore—Be sure to tell me when you want to go.
Miss Blunt—It's an hour too late for that.

TIME TO MOVE



Mr. Del—What is your hurry, Mr. Rock?
Mr. Rock—I just heard some one up above say "Get the hook."

YACHT'S ADVANTAGES



Jane—Why have you given up automobileing in favor of sailing a yacht?
Willie Blue—The water is so soft to fall on!

EASY



The Joker—He's up in the air about his business.
The Jester—Ballooning, eh?

TOO SHOCKING



Willie—Tell me about the time you were off by a shock.
Old Salt—No, no, my boy; the recollection is too horrible.

NOTHING FUNNY ABOUT THAT.



Edith—Is your new play a comedy?
Edward—I should say not; it deals with married life.